Registered chemists for CGHS Allopathic Dispensaries

676. SHRIMATI BASANTI SARMA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of registered local chemists attached to each CGHS allopathic dispensary in Delhi and outside Delhi for supply of medicines;

(b) the reasons for registration of local chemists in CGHS allopathic dispensaries;

(c) whether it is a fact that due to inclusion of local chemists in CGHS units, the duties of various medical and para-medical staff have completely paralysed and they have no duties to perform in duty hours at present; and

(d) if so, the remedial steps taken so far by Government for complete performance of duties by the medical and para-medical staff?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE [DR. (SHRIMATI) RITA VERMA]: (a) The information is available in the enclosed Annexure [*See* Appendix 190, Annexure No. 8]

(b) The local chemists have been appointed by CGHS to supply non-available medicines in the dispensary against individual's prescriptions.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) In view of (c) above, the question does not arise.

Blood donation through Internet

677. SHRI SWARAJ KAUSHAL: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a facility for blood donation through internet is available in the capital, Delhi;

(b) if so, the number of people who have got their names and addresses registered in this regard;